SUBJECT No. 185.

Grants to Secondary Schools.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is requested that grants to Secondary Schools be transferred from Municipal to Provincial Funds.

Reply of Government.—The matter is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 186.

Pay of School-masters to be regulated according to the number of students promoted to the next higher class.

Mr. Linge Gowda, Mysore Taluk.

Summary of discussion.— The system of granting allowances to High School Masters in proportion to the number of boys promoted from one class to the next higher class, which is in vogue in the Madras Presidency, may also be introduced here.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 187.

Allowances to Vedic teachers to be included in the Educational budget.

Mr. T. S. Krishna Rao, Mysore District Board.

Summary of discussion.—It is prayed that the allowances given to the Vedic teachers may be provided for in the Educational budget just as the pay and allowance granted to other school-masters are charged to the Educational Department.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 188.

Science Division of the B. A. Examination.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is requested that the several branches of the Science Division of the B. A. Examination be opened, some being attached to the Central College, Bangalore, and some to the Maharaja's College, Mysore.

Reply of Government.—The matter is under consideration in connection with the re-arrangement of Colleges under the new University Regulations.

SUBJECT No. 189.

Annual Educational Conference.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is requested that arrangements may be made to hold annual Educational Conferences.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 190.

Sanskrit University.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is requested that a Sanskrit University may be established.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

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SUBJECT No. 191.

Abolition of the office of Superintending Engineers.

Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao, B.A., LL.B., Shimoga Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The work done by Executive Engineers can be conveniently supervised by the Chief Engineer. The office of the Superintending Engineer is superfluous. It may therefore be abolished and the savings thus effected spent on works of public utility.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 192.

Silt-clearing in the nalas fed by tanks.

Summary of discussion.— (1) The raiyats are at present required to clear silt from the nalas fed from tanks. Big and small land-holders do not co-operate in the work and consequently silt-clearing is not done in due time and